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Make Santa Ana
Bigger, Better

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Santa Ana Register

MONDAY, DECEMBER 30, 1918.

We'll Do Honor
To Those Who
Fought For Us

50 CENTS PER MONTH

ONE DAY MORE FOR SANTA ANA TO SAVE HER REPUTATION

\$10,500 NEEDED
THIS MORNING
TO COMPLETE
W.S.S. QUOTA

Several \$1000 Purchases Are
Necessary to Keep City From
Going Into Slacker Class

Come on, friends; all shoulders
to the wheel and Santa Ana will
go over the top of her War Sav-
ings Stamp quota.

This morning the city was \$10,-
500 short of her \$300,000 quota.
Are the people of this vicinity going
to let the city slip into the
slacker columns with the paltry
sum of \$10,500 separating it from
100 per cent financially patriotic?

Six or seven solicitors this morn-
ing went to work in the business dis-
trict in efforts to raise the amount.
They have not been meeting with the
success and encouragement due.

Saturday's sales of stamps at the
postoffice was very small. Tomorrow
will tell the tale. If the city is short
when the postoffice closes tomorrow
afternoon it will be everlasting to
late to redeem Santa Ana in this war
financing proposition.

Purchases of several amounts of
\$1000 each will be necessary to class
Santa Ana among the cities that reach
their quotas. If the city fails it will
be the only time she has fallen down
in supporting the government. Every
other campaign for financial assistance
to the government and war activities
have sailed over the top.

The Honor Roll

Up to Saturday night, only 34
people had taken up the quota of a
soldier. Only thirty-four at that time
were entitled to display one of the
Honor Roll window cards. Those thirty-
four quotas represent only \$640
maturity value in stamps. It will take
many times that number to put the
city in class one.

Four stamps cost \$16.92. Those who
haven't one of the pledge cards and
would like to join the W. S. S. Honor
Roll Club can secure a card by calling
at J. A. McFadden's office in the Spur-
geon block.

Here are the names of those who
have taken a soldier's quota of four
stamps above stamps already pur-
chased:

H. T. Trueblood, M. L. Keeler, Ruth
L. Rowland, F. M. Young, Mrs. O. M.
Robbins, O. M. Robbins, Sterling
Price; Mary Ludwick, Pease E. Morse,
T. G. Gowdy, A. N. Cox, Stephen Gris-
et, Andrew W. Wilson, J. C. Joplin,
John A. McFadden, E. E. Vincent, Sam
Hurwitz, Mrs. G. A. Edgar, James W.
Antoine, J. P. Baumgartner, L. F. Har-
vey, T. W. Johnston, Wayland Wood,
Margaret von Essen, J. H. Edwards,
Dr. J. P. Boyd, Geo. M. Kryhl, Emma
H. Edwards, Mrs. W. A. Allen, M. Nis-
son, Miss Julia Campbell, W. H.
Crose, Mrs. W. H. Cross, Miss Kath-
ryn Hart.

Must Use Cards.

Some purchasers of the War Sav-
ings Stamps have gained the idea that
it is not necessary to place War Sav-
ings Stamps on War Savings Certifi-
cate cards. War Savings Stamps ab-
solutely must be placed upon War Sav-
ings Certificate cards before they are
recognized as a War Savings Certifi-
cate. The name and address of the
purchaser must be on each certificate
also. No matter if you only have one
War Savings Stamp, it must be placed
on a War Savings Certificate.

Inasmuch as some people in this
community may have purchased War
Savings Stamps and put them away
without attaching them to cards, it is
to their interest to know the facts in
this matter.

A new issue of War Savings Stamps
will be placed on sale January 1st, to
mature in five years, and for January
the price will be \$1.12. It is well to
bear in mind that this new (1919) is
issue of stamps cannot be placed on this
year's (1918) War Savings Certificate.
The name and address of the
purchaser must be on each certificate
also. No matter if you only have one
War Savings Stamp, it must be placed
on a War Savings Certificate.

There is no new issue of thrift
stamps for 1919. The issuance, sale,
and exchange of the old thrift stamp
will continue in connection with the
new 1919 War Savings Stamps. A
thrift card with 16 Thrift Stamps may
be exchanged for a 1919 War Savings
Stamps on payment in cash of the dif-
ference between \$4 and the current
price of the War Savings Stamp (in
January 12 cents). The old thrift
cards will be used also.

Those not having War Savings Cer-
tificate cards of 1918, may procure
them at the post office or any bank.

W. S. S.

AIM TO HAVE ALL MANKIND
ENJOY FRUITS OF VICTORY,
DECLARES FRENCH PREMIER

Does Not Agree With President on All Points; Clemenceau
Tells Chamber of Deputies Today, But Is Confident Four
Great Nations—Great Britain, France, Italy, and United
States—Will Be United In Peace Conference Just As
They Were United In War.

BY JOHN DE GANDT
(United Press Correspondent)

PARIS, Dec. 30.—"I would be lying if I said I agreed with President
Wilson on all points," Premier Clemenceau declared in addressing the chamber
of deputies today. "President Wilson's ideas are not the same as those of
a man whose country has been devastated for four years and which, in
justice, must be restored."

"The tiger," declared that President Wilson congratulated him on his
statement to Premier Lloyd-George that he would have no objection to the
British fleet rendering the same service in the future that it did in this war.

Clemenceau expressed confidence that the Allies would enter the peace
conference in the same united spirit they displayed in the war.

He said the present conversations between Allied leaders are vitally impor-
tant, as they will have to begin over again if no agreement is reached.

At the conclusion of his speech the chamber passed a vote of confidence
in his government, 398 to 93.

"I remain faithful to the countries
which have defended France with
their armies and navies," Clemenceau
said.

"France has a right to vindications
for the wrongs she has suffered. I
will not divulge my ideas as to these
vindications at this time, however. It
is possible some of them may have to be
sacrificed. The peace preliminaries
will be submitted to the chamber for confirmation.

"President Wilson has come to Eu-
rope to defend several principles. I
would be lying if I said I agreed with
President Wilson on all points. He
said to me I will try to convince me."

President Lloyd George said to me
one day: "Do you admit that without
the British fleet you could not have
continued the war?" I replied "Yes."
Lloyd George continued: "Then, under
these conditions, would you be dis-
posed to do anything to prevent us
from rendering the same service?" I
replied "No."

I recouped to President Wilson
this conversation. He congratulated
me on my loyalty to Great Britain,
saying that each of the Allied nations
might retain its own viewpoint on this
own on this question.

"This was the beginning of the con-
versations which must be regarded as
vital, because if no agreement is
reached everything must be begun all
over.

"I am sure that great nations like
Great Britain, the United States, Italy
and France should fly to help one another
when one is attacked. The war was
fought under this spirit, and in this
spirit we will go to the peace conference.
Nothing must separate the
war the four great nations
which the war united.

"I am ready to make the greatest
sacrifices to preserve the union.

"We owe to our soldiers and their
chiefs the great victory which was
won. We aim to have all mankind en-
joy the great fruits of this victory.

"France must never be invaded
again. Guarantees are necessary to
prevent this. President Wilson's ideas
are not the same as those of a man
whose country has been devastated for
four years and must, in justice, be re-
stored. But he is an honorable man,
of great intelligence and noble spirit.

"It is the desire of all, especially
the Socialists, to introduce new ele-
ments into the building of nations. I
also have this desire, but to impose a
new spirit on other nations we must
begin by having it at home."

W. S. S.

**HUNT BRIDEGRoOM WHO
PASSED BOGUS CHECKS**

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 30.—They
are piling Mr. Fred McCormick today
in all the leading hotels here. He is
wanted to explain the origin of checks
totaling \$1800 cashed on Sacramento
Valley banks, and why he married the
sister of a Sacramento banker.

Mccormick, posing as a man of in-
dependent fortune, won the hand of
Mrs. Peltier Wallace, sister of George
Peltier, Sacramento banker. They
came here on their honeymoon.

Peltier then phoned his sister tell-
ing of the checks. McCormick then dis-
appeared. McCormick told friends
that he had been forced to give up his
suite in the St. Francis to the Japanese
peace envoys, according to the clerk.
But he never registered at the St.
Francis.

He was introduced to me by my
friends in Oroville, said Mrs. McCor-
mick.

W. S. S.

**MOVEMENT AFOOT TO
PROMOTE GEN. CROWDER**

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—A move-
ment is afoot today to make Provost
Marshal General Crowder a lieutenant
general or a full general.

Mixed up with the movement is a
considerable amount of national and
military politics. It is claimed that
the amount of compensation to be de-
manded from Germany will be about
200,000,000 yen.

W. S. S.

**BIG CROWD ASSURED
FOR PASADENA GAME**

PASADENA, Dec. 30.—With two
days remaining before the Tournamen-
t of Roses game, the Great Lakes
squad and the Mare Island marines
are practicing football tactics at their
best pace today. Both teams have
rounded into condition splendidly and
the effect of the change in climate
has entirely worn off.

Announcement was made today
that 10,000 sailors and soldiers are
to occupy a section of the stands free
and because of the great interest in
this service game the park is sure to
be packed to the limit.

The Tenadores is a United Fruit lim-
iter of 7782 tons.

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**AMERICAN STEAMSHIP
REPORTED ON ROCKS**

LONDON, Dec. 30.—The American
steamship Tenadores is ashore on the
Isle-Dieu, in the Bay of Biscay, Lloyds
reported today. Her passengers are
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**12,000 HIGH SCHOOL
CADETS IN CALIFORNIA**

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 30.—There
are more than 12,000 high school
cadets in California, according to fig-
ures issued by Adjutant General Bor-
ree, who has just returned from
Washington, D. C. The cadet move-
ment is entirely in harmony with the
government and although the Ameri-
can Guard may be permanently abol-
ished, a firm stand has been made for
high school military training.

W. S. S.

L. A. MEN REPATRIATED

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 30.—The fol-
lowing Americans were mentioned in
today's casualty list in Canada:

Prisoners of war, repatriated: T. S.
Chambers, Los Angeles; W. H. Pres-
ton, Los Angeles.

W. S. S.

**RED CROSS WORKER
VICTIM OF TYPHUS**

VLADIVOSTOK, Dec. 30.—Foreign
Minister Pichon's statement to the French
chamber of commerce that Allied intervention in
Russia is inevitable today re-
newed demands from members of
congress for a statement of this
government's Russian policy.

Senator Johnson of California, spokesman
for those who have

CONDITIONS IN
GERMANY ARE
BAD, BUT NOT
DANGEROUS

Serious Shortage of Butter,
Eggs, and Milk, But Sit-
uation Fairly Good

BY WEBB MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY OF
OCCUPATION, Dec. 28. (Delayed.)
The general situation in Germany as
regards supplies of all kinds is bad,
but it is not immediately serious, re-
ports of American intelligence officers
showed today.

After a two weeks' investigation
throughout the entire area occupied by the American forces, these officers
reported that the food situation is not
dangerous at the present time. They
believe that within a short time working
people in the towns will begin to feel a real pinch. Stocks now on hand,
it is asserted, are sufficient to last until
February 1st or 15th in the towns, while
the farmers have been able to store their stocks until they have enough to last through the winter. In
asmuch as a greater part of the region is agricultural, conditions as a whole are fairly good. Many persons
in the Moselle valley, wine growers,
will be forced to buy foodstuffs. In
the towns war rationing is still being
enforced. There is a serious shortage
of butter, eggs and milk. These are
practically non-existent in the towns.
The wealthier citizens are able to obtain
them by back door dealing.

The official food allowance during
the last week in December for each
person was four pounds, eight ounces
of bread, twelve ounces of flour, seven
ounces of potatoes, ten ounces of can-
died vegetables, one egg, two ounces
of butter, eight ounces of sugar, twelve
ounces of turnip tops.

There was no meat to be had. Heavy
workers were permitted to have an additional pound of potatoes.

The cost of this, the intelligence re-
port shows, averages about ten marks daily,
while in the cities it is much higher.

German officials claim the potato
crop on which is placed the greatest
dependence for food, is a partial fail-
ure and declare the situation may be
come serious late in February unless
stocks not now scheduled make their
appearance.

Due to unsettled financial conditions,
dealers are not replenishing their
stocks as usual, and their shelves are
growing bare.

Pay for workers is not keeping up
with the advanced cost of living. La-
borers are averaging a wage of five to
seven marks a day. Figures collected
on labor conditions show a basis for
complaints. Business men of Mayen
estimated that eight marks a day consti-
tutes a fair living wage, but the workers
are not getting it.

They are averaging about five
marks, while the women workers are
paid much less.

The chief of the Coblenz Bankers'
Association estimates that business
prior to the signing of the armistice
was about 60 per cent of its normal
volume and that now has dropped off
to 45 per cent. Interviews with others
bear out this statement. Establish-
ment of supplies are not looked forward
to as long as political condi-
tions are unsettled. The situation as
regards clothing, is much worse than
with food. A common suit for civil-
ians costs from \$60 to \$100 and stocks
are low. The cost of any kind of cloth
is high. Prohibitive compared with
the scale of wages. Nevertheless, people in
the streets are well clothed in appearance.

As regards footwear, there is not a
single pair of leather shoes on display
in the shop windows. Canvas appears
for the uppers while some have soles
of straps, cut and sewed together.
Only civilians and peasants wear wooden
soled shoes. The majority of persons in
the streets wear leather shoes obvi-
ously repaired many times. Inquiries
among servant girls and waiters in
the hotel, where the press is quartered,
brought out the fact that they had
bought shoes only a few months ago
at \$5, which was considered a high
price.

In view of the shortage of cloth
American officials have consented to
allow soldiers to convert their grey
uniforms into civilian clothing by cut-
ting the coat to fit a roll collar.

One firm is engaged in manufacturing
civilian clothing from German uni-
forms.

Investigation of conditions in cloth-
ing stores revealed that gloves costing
\$1.50 to \$2 in the United States, are
selling for \$6 here. In Coblenz, I
bought the cheapest kind of handker-
chief for the equivalent of a dollar.

Hats which cost about \$3 in the
United States bring \$9.

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GERMANS SCHEME TO FORCE ALLY OCCUPATION OF BERLIN

Will Arrest American and British Newsmen, Police Chief Warns

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 29.—As the result of riots and general disorder in Berlin, it is declared the government is considering abandoning the city to the Spartacists and establishing headquarters elsewhere, reports from Berlin declared today.

BY FRANK J. TAYLOR
(United Press Staff Correspondent)
BERLIN, Dec. 30.—The German group favors Allied occupation of Berlin as a political coup, plans to force this move by arresting all American and British newsmen, Police Prefect Eichhorn warned me today.

Eichhorn said the politicians in this group believed arrest of the correspondents would draw Allied troops into the capital immediately, thus changing the entire complexion of the political situation and probably resulting in the overthrow of the radicals.

Conditions here are far from stable yet, with the Socialists and Spartacists still struggling for power. In view of the Vorwaerts call for the masses to demonstrate against "terrorism," tomorrow, the Spartacists called for rival demonstrations.

Further disorders, with some casualties, were reported today from Dresden, there was also said to be some plundering in Hamburg. In Essen 20,000 factory workers were on strike.

A dozen casualties were reported to have occurred yesterday on the streets of Posen in fighting between the Poles and the Germans. The Berlin newspaper declares the disorders were precipitated by the arrival of Ignace Paderewski, who is expected to be president of the Polish republic.

Must Pay War Damages

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 30.—Mathias Erzberger, chairman of the German Armistice Commission, declared in a speech in Berlin that Germany will pay for all damages caused in Belgium and Northern France, according to a dispatch received here today.

He said the Allies and Germany have agreed on the general question of war damages.

"Each nation will pay its own war bill. Germany will pay for the dam-

age done in Belgium and Northern France, as well as Allied civilian losses. The details will be settled at the peace conference," Erzberger said.

British Land at Riga
COPENHAGEN, Dec. 30.—British forces have been landed at Riga, according to advices received here today.

Shortly after the landing there was an outbreak in which several persons were killed and wounded. Bolshevik agitators goaded the crowds assembled outside the building, where British were conferring with government heads until a cry of "Away with the English," was set up. The crowd was dispersed.

British Defeat Bolsheviks

BERLIN, Dec. 30.—British sailors and Estonian troops effected a landing near Narva, a Helsingfors dispatch to the Berliner Tidende reported today. On Thursday, the advices said, the British routed and forced ground Bolshevik warships, including the Parpale, which were discovered shelling Wulf Island.

Street Fighting in Posen

LONDON, Dec. 30.—Machine gun fighting raged all Friday afternoon in Posen after Ignace Jan Paderewski, the famous pianist and Polish leader, had defied the Germans and caused Allied and American flags to be hoisted, according to dispatches from Warsaw received here today.

Paderewski was welcomed to Posen with speeches by prominent citizens with patriotic demonstrations. He spoke asserting Poland has recovered her independence and was again mistress of her own ports. Thereupon the German soldatenrass warned him to depart.

Instead, his followers hoisted flags. Colonel Waddell, the British authority in the city, supported Paderewski. The Germans started hostilities and continuous rioting resulted.

Paderewski was received in Posen with great enthusiasm. He was hailed by newspapers as "the representative of Polish interests with the president." His wife declared him to be the bearer of most vital information from America to Polish leaders.

The famous musician, it is reported, is preparing to accept the presidency of the Polish republic, to include Danzig, East Prussia, Silesia, Pomerania and Warsaw.

Leaders are reported to have acquiesced and will send troops to Danzig to assist in putting Paderewski in authority there.

American Flag Fired On

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 29. (Delayed).—Bloody street fighting has taken place in Posen between Germans and Poles, dispatches reaching here today asserted.

German officers fired on an Allied automobile bearing the American flag. The Polish guard was ordered to disperse the Germans, who resisted.

Fighting lasted for hours. Thirty-eight women and 100 men were killed. The Germans were disarmed with some re-sistance.

British authorities protested to the German commander in chief, who declared he had no control over the soldiers regarding the insult to the American flag. He said the Germans could not allow enemy flags to be hoisted in Prussia.

Denied Former Reports

LONDON, Dec. 30.—All independent Socialists have retired from the German government, which now consists entirely of Majority Socialists, according to a dispatch received from Berlin today.

This is in direct contravention to previous dispatches which declared the Ebert-Scheidemann coalition ministry had been overthrown and that a new cabinet would be formed by Karl Liebknecht and George Ledebour, extreme Radicals. The majority Socialists of which Philip Scheidemann is leader, are comparatively conservative and supported the old government throughout the war.

W. S. S.

It don't pay to buy cheap spuds, that is, ones that are scabby, wormy, or cut up, for 10c to 20c per hundred less when you can get the best Northern Burbanks

(at White's Grocery) per 100 lbs. at \$2.65

Fancy Oranges, per doz. 15c

Fancy Grape Fruit, 2 for. 5c

Fancy Grape Fruit, dozen. 10c

Green Lima Beans, per lb. 10c

Cabbage, large solid head, lb. 2c

Bulk Sauer Kraut, per lb. 5c

Pink Beans (Saturday) per lb. 9c

Jap Rice (Saturday) per lb. 9c

Fancy White Beans (Saturday)

per lb. 10c

We are headquarters for all the best brands of Oleo, from 32c to 42c per lb.

Sure we deliver for 10c.

W. S. S.

NO CHANGES MADE

IN DIRECTORS OF

GOLF ASSOCIATION

The Southern California Golf Association, of which the Orange County Country Club is a member, will be conducted during 1919 by officers and an executive committee that remains unchanged from 1918. F. B. Browning is the representative of the Orange County Country Club upon the executive committee.

The association officers are: E. B. Tufts, Los Angeles, president; Thomas McCall, Brentwood, and A. D. S. Johnson, Annandale, vice-presidents; R. H. Bagby, Los Angeles, secretary-treasurer.

Arrangements are soon to be completed for holding the championship meet for women golfers, for the Southern California Golf Association. Each of the clubs has a representative upon a committee of arrangements. Mrs. Homer Robinson is the representative from the local club.

Work has just about been completed on the handicap list of the Southern California Golf Association and the names will be in the hands of the printers in a short time.

W. S. S.

95,000,000 LADY BUGS MOBILIZED FOR DRIVE

PORLAND, Ore., Dec. 30.—Compulsory training has already begun with the mobilization of 95,000,000 lady bugs, all of whom will be sent out in a spring offensive against the aphides, which have been causing great slaughter in the grain fields of Oregon and Washington.

W. S. S.

Ten thousand acres of cantaloupes to be planted in Imperial Valley next year is a statement from Brawley

W. S. S.

EL TORO BARN GOES BY FIRE

Flames Take 150 Tons of Hay

and Fine Flock of Turkeys—Insured

A new barn, 150 tons of hay and a flock of turkeys belonging to Eugene Ahern of El Toro were destroyed last night on his ranch west of El Toro.

It is not known how the flames started. Men at the ranch discovered the fire in time to save the harness and horses. A flock of two or three dozen turkeys roosting in the barn was destroyed. None of the 150 tons of hay in the barn was saved.

The barn was worth about \$8,000, and was but a year or two old. Ahern's loss is covered by insurance.

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FORCES YANKEES TO TAKE BACK TRADE SEAT, SO. AMERICA

Lack of American Ships Gives Tradesmen From Other Nations a Flying Start

BY JAMES I. MILLER
(United Press Staff Correspondent)

Buenos Aires, Dec. 30.—British sailors and French business men are leaving American traders at the post.

Scrutiny of sailings, unloadings and departures in the newspapers is alone sufficient to convince any one that the Europeans, enabled to get a flying start by the fact they are given plenty of ships, are gaining an enormous advantage.

It is reported here that at least a score of ships loading for South America are idling in United States harbors. The fact there are practically no sailings from America is unaccountable to Americans here, who are weary of reading about speeches by American officials regarding the great trade future with South America. Month after month has passed and there have been no ships, and no anything, except more words.

Meanwhile, Americans are taking a back seat, from which they are watching their competitors grabbing all the trade, now rapidly approaching a pre-war basis.

The mails from Europe are much more frequent than those from the United States. Arrival of mail is almost an occasion for celebration by members of the American colony, who are disgusted at what they term the neglect and indifference of the home government toward them.

Violent German propaganda is continuing despite the armistice. Two newspapers are especially scurrilous in poisoning the minds of the people against the United States and the Allies. While the United States has no organ through which to answer these attacks. Great Britain, France and Italy have. But they are not altruistic and it is a case of each man for himself.

A leading article in one of these newspapers was headed "France Under Invasion." It declared that the Americans are policing the railways, power plants, banks and customs houses, insinuating that the United States is grinding France under its heel, industrially and economically and that France is forced to submit because of its great moral and material obligations to the "invaders." The article quotes the proverb that "Enemies are not always the most dangerous."

German traders, at the same time, are becoming bolder and are working their hardest to re-establish a pre-war industrial standing, promising a flow of goods to Argentina as soon as the blockade is lifted and Germany's factories are functioning.

W. S. S.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RAISES \$597 FOR RELIEF

Money Given Yesterday For Armenian and Syrian Assistance

The Sunday School of the First Methodist Episcopal Church at its session yesterday raised \$597.44 for Armenian and Syrian relief. It is expected the offering will go far over the \$600 mark before the money is sent to the central committee.

Big things are planned for the Sunday school board meeting this evening. At 6:30 the teachers and officers banquet together in the social hall, and at 7:30 Rev. Hugh C. Gibson, the Sunday school expert of the Southern California Conference, will address the Sunday School Workers' Conference. This meeting is open to all the members of the school.

This educational institution of First Church is taking on new life. New classes are being organized for young men and women, and the goal for average attendance has been set at 500 and Superintendent A. H. Theal and his corps of workers expect to reach this objective before Easter.

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CHRISTMAS TREE FROM FRANCE GROWING AT ORANGE

Tiny Tree In 1914 Served As Christmas Tree Then Planted

ORANGE, Dec. 30.—Removed from France just after the world war broke out in 1914 and transplanted in America where it has flourished to aid in celebrating the great Peace Christmas, a splendid, 12-foot Christmas tree was the interesting center of a ceremony in Trinity Episcopal church yard on Christmas morning.

In August, 1914, the tree, then a tiny thing, was growing in sunny, peaceful France. While France was being overrun by the ruthless minions of that arch foe of peace, the kaiser, the tiny tree was taken up and on September 14, 1914, started its journey to another sunny clime, where peace still reigned. Willard Smith, local orchardist, received the tree on Washington's birthday, February 22, 1915.

In Villa Park the evergreen thrived and grew until it was twice the height of a man. This year, when the great Peace Christmas came, it was thought fitting to use this link between the sister republics, in celebration of their victory over the enemies of peace.

So the tree was taken from Villa Park and was decorated brightly for a Christmas tree service in Trinity church Monday evening, where its history was told to the children by the rector, Rev. Herbert V. Harris. Then on Christmas morning, after church services, the tree was planted in S. C. Talbert's blacksmith shop. They left here three years ago.

Letters From George Page.

Mrs. M. F. Page received two long letters the 23rd from her son, George Page, the first since his arrival in France. Page arrived in France about two weeks before the signing of the armistice and no word having come from him his mother had begun to worry over his welfare so was greatly relieved to hear that he is alright. He was feeling fine at the time of writing and traveling all the time. He said a French lady gave him hot water and soap to wash his clothes that day, the first clean clothes he had had in three weeks. He also said a few days before he marched eight miles and wanted to march eight more he was feeling so good. He stated he might be home soon and then again it might be a long time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Talbert.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Talbert, uncle and aunt of S. E. Talbert, were overnight guests Wednesday at the Talbert home. Mr. and Mrs. Talbert returned to Long Beach Thursday morning.

F. D. Plavan.

F. D. Plavan is plowing with his caterpillar engine his eighty acres which was rented the past year by the Havens Seed Co.

Louis Moulton.

Louis Moulton, who has pastured several herds of cattle on the beet fields of this vicinity this fall, moved the remainder of his cattle with the cool house and outfit back to El Toro Tuesday.

The Newport dredger worked the past week on the ditch just east of the Von Shantz house, going north from that point.

Dinner Guests in Santa Ana.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Wardlow and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wardlow and family took dinner Christmas day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wardlow in Santa Ana. It was expected that all the members of the family would be at home for the day as Le Roy Wardlow who is in the navy and stationed at Mare Island was to be off on furlough. He had planned coming to his sister's, Mrs. Henderson Cheyne's home at Tulare and accompanying her and her husband down in their machine. They failed to arrive and some uneasiness was felt about them. Thursday morning two letters came explaining the cause. Le Roy was unable to get his furlough and Mr. and Mrs. Cheney had a relapse from influenza. The necessarily changed plan was deeply regretted by all parties concerned as the reunion had been looked forward to with so much pleasure by all. This is Mrs. Wardlow's second disappointment in a few weeks' time at not seeing her son, as she and Miss Nellie motored through to Tulare where they were joined by Mrs. Cheney and they proceeded as far as Oakland and while expecting to see Le Roy in a few hours time, both Miss Nellie and Mrs. Cheney took ill with the influenza, making it impossible to have the intended visit. Mrs. Wardlow brought them back to Tulare and nursed them through their illness. Just as they were convalescing Mr. Cheney took down with the disease and she nursed him through it, then returned home with Miss Nellie as soon as she was able to travel. It is only a few days ago that they reached home, just in time to prepare for the Christmas reunion which also proved a partial disappointment.

Letter From Tom Gisler.

A letter of the date of Nov. 25th was received this week from Tom Gisler by the Robt. Gisler family. He was well. Said he hoped to be home by Christmas or back in the States at least by that time but could not tell that far ahead of time. He did not arrive at home however at that time and no word of his arrival from overseas has been received.

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It used to be "Die Wacht am Rhein;" now it is The Watch on the Rhine. For the Rhine is now virtually an American stream, and American troops, under the Stars and Stripes will there watch the Old Year out and a New Year in. The "Watch on the Rhine" is now sung only by American voices, and those who constitute that "watch" are American troops, standing "fast and true" as the old song enjoins them, and in a sense that the author of it never dreamed of.

As a final proof of domination comes word that the American flag now flies on the Rhine, as well as along its banks and over the famous forts that guard it. A fleet of nine river steamers has been taken over by our army of occupation, and every one of them steams up and down the river flying the Stars and Stripes.

BONDS AND TAXES

The New York Sun calls attention to the fact that, upon analysis, our war expenses were raised, not two-thirds by bonds and one-third by taxation, but fifty-fifty. There were, to be sure, about seventeen billions in bonds and another billion in war savings stamps, making eighteen billions in all, while the war taxes were four billions the first year and six billions the second, making ten billions in taxes to eighteen in bonds. But over eight billions of the bond money were not spent by us, but were loaned, on interest, to the Allies. This part was not spent, but invested, and will all come back without cost to us. This leaves just ten billions apiece, of the actual war expenses, for bonds and taxes—which is far nearer to "pay as you go" than any other nation came.

For that matter, if the war had gone on, the balance would have turned to the side of taxes. The war tax bill, as planned for this year, would have been eight billions instead of six. We should therefore have paid 45 per cent from bonds and 55 per cent from taxes.

The Hero Year

He comes with faltering step and wrinkled brow, His race is almost run. The goal is near. To Time's stern mandate, even Time must bow. He struggles on—behold the dying year!

What bitter pain has seamed that aged brow, Great horror lingers yet within his eyes. He, alone, has seen man's direst woe, His soul is wrung with darkest tragedies.

He smiles, the conscious smile of sorrows past,

The light of brighter days to be, The rainbow sign that will forever last,

The son's deep joy in righteous victory.

Not his, to usher in the golden age. A younger hand will wide the portals throw.

He has sustained war's blackest rage, He with strong hand, has throttled mankind's foe.

O dying year! The world will not forget Your awful throes of pain and sacrifice,

With grateful tears our trembling eyes are wet,

Yet by such travail hours the world will rise.

You smile and beckon to the coming year.

Come! Haste! Take the glass, for I must die,

O hero of the darkest, saddest hours Seamed! Scarred! Yet happy! Goodbye! Goodbye!

LLOYD DARSIE,
W. S. S.

Cheaper Than Crime

(Fresno Republican)

The welcome news comes that the population of California's penitentiaries is decreasing. And Warden Johnston attributes it to war conditions and an increased demand for labor.

Which ought to be a reminder to the rest of us that there are cheaper—to say nothing of more humane—methods of dealing with crime than waiting until after it is committed and then "punishing" the culprit, if we can catch him. If men commit fewer crimes when they can find jobs, is it not cheaper to find them jobs? Employment agencies cost less than penitentiaries. It costs little to find a man a job, and nothing to keep him after he gets it. Even if, at times, public jobs have to be made, more or less artificially, for the express purpose of serving as safety reservoirs, it is certainly far better to spend the public's money in financing useful and profitable work than to waste it on the most useless and always unprofitable work of penitentiaries. Even if we do divert some work on roads and ditches, from the most economical to a less economical season, the taxpayers can stand the light loss on that better than the almost total losses on the penitentiaries.

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Miss Irene Swanner, daughter of J. A. Swanner, and Chalton Watters, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watters, were quietly married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening at a quiet ceremony at the bride's home on East Sixteenth street in the presence of a company of relatives.

The home was very prettily decorated with poinsettias and ferns, the bride and groom standing in the archway between the two parlors while Rev. P. F. Schrock of the First Congregational church read the impressive marriage ceremony. Mrs. Charles D. Swanner stood with the bride, who was given away by her father.

The bride made a winsome picture in her wedding gown of silk net with silver cloth and carried a beautiful shower of white rosebuds, which she later tossed into the keeping of Miss Hilda Givens.

Mr. and Mrs. Watters left immediately after the ceremony for a brief wedding trip, the going-away dress being of gray broadcloth with coat of beaver and broadcloth. Upon their return the young people will reside on Van Ness avenue.

The bride was born in this city and graduated from the Polytechnic High School and Junior College, later starting a course at Santa Barbara Normal. The groom also attended High School here and is in the employ of the Crystal Cleaning Company.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Babbitt, Mrs. Barnett, J. A. Swanner, John L. Swanner, Mr. and Mrs. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. Watters, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Williams, Misses Rachel and Jennie Swanner of Los Angeles, Mrs. Charles Swanner, Miss Hilda Givens, Mr. Reggins of Orange.

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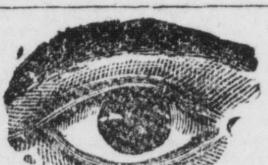
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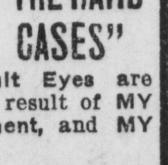
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Last Monday Evening

EL MODENA, Dec. 30.—A double birthday surprise and dinner was given last Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Allie Gaerte, in El Modena, in honor of her son, Charles, who was ten, on that day, and Miss Curtina Robles, who was sweet sixteen. The dining room was beautifully decorated with flags, from the ceiling hung a big red and green paper bell, the table was decorated with sprays of wild holly berries. Two nice birthday cakes were made for both young people, one decorated with ten candles, green and pink, were lit for Charles, the other was decorated and lit with sixteen wax candles for Curtina. A fine dinner was served at the noon hour. Many nice presents were received by both parties. All present report a good time.

Those present were Miss Curtina Robles, Charles Robles, Viola Arballo, J. A. Whisler, Earl Whisler, Eva Whisler, Mrs. Ruby Arballo, Mrs. Allie Gaerte, Charles Gaerte and Robert Gaerte.

W. S. S.

DR. FREEMAN HOME FROM ARMY DUTIES

Dr. S. P. Freeman has returned home from overseas, having received his discharge from the Canadian army in Victoria, B. C. Although the doctor did not get any farther than England, he underwent very severe intensive training there and was to have gone over to France with his draft and was to have received his commission in the army veterinary corps the very week the armistice was signed.

He speaks of the terrible havoc the influenza is making among the army men in England. He himself had it, but owing to his knowledge of medicine, was able to help himself. Four men out of the eight in his hut died to testify.

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SPANISH INFLUENZA—JUST GRIP CAMOUFLAGED UNDER A NEW NAME

Most Authorities Now Agree That This Disease Is Simply the Old-Fashioned Grip, the Same That Has Swept Over the World Times Without Number. Since 1831 the United States Has Had Five Epidemics.

The Last Epidemic In 1889-90 Came From Russia By Way of France and Was Given a French Name, La Grippe. This Time It Comes By Way of Spain.

ORIGIN OF THE DISEASE
Spanish Influenza, which appeared in Spain in May, has swept over the world in numerous epidemics as far back as history runs. Hippocrates refers to an epidemic in 412 B. C., which is regarded by many to have been influenza. Every century has had its attacks. Beginning with 1831, this country has had five epidemics, the last in 1889-90.

THE SYMPTOMS

Grip, or influenza, as it is now called, usually begins with a chill followed by aching, feverishness and sometimes nausea and dizziness, and a general feeling of weakness and depression. The temperature is from 100 to 104, and the fever usually lasts from three to five days. The germs attack the mucous membrane, or lining of the air passages—nose, throat and bronchial tubes—there is usually a hard cough, especially at night, often times a sore throat or tonsilitis, and frequently all the appearances of a severe head cold.

THE TREATMENT

Go to bed at the first symptoms—take a purgative, eat plenty of nourishing food, remain perfectly quiet and don't worry. Nature herself is the only "cure" for influenza and will throw off the attack if only you conserve your strength. A little Quinine, Aspirin or Dover's Powder may be given by the physician's directions to allay the aching. Always call a doctor, since the chief danger of grip is in its weakening effect on the system, which allows complications to develop. These are chiefly pneumonia and bronchitis, sometimes inflammation of the middle ear, or heart affection. For these reasons, it is very important that the patient remain in bed until his strength returns—stay in bed at least two days or more after the fever has left you, or you are over 50 per cent strong, stay in bed according to the severity of the attack.

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

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J. A. TURNER,
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Orange, in the Matter of the Estate of Shibata Takaoka, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Moluhel Takaoka, administrator of the estate of Shibata Takaoka, deceased, to the creditors of all persons having claims against the said deceased in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Notice is hereby given that the German Fire Insurance Company of the City and State of New York, issued to California Land Company, who was its duly authorized agent at Santa Ana, to Hora, blank fire policies Nos. 1101 to 1105, have been issued to direct policies. If said blank fire policies have been fraudulently issued, they are void and of no effect, and in the event of any claim for loss being made against the company, will be legally rejected by said company.

If parties should hold the above numbered documents, or know of their whereabouts, they should immediately send or report same to Chapman & Newman Co., State Agents, 358 Pine Street, San Francisco, or Charles H. Coates, Manager Germania Fire Insurance Company of New York, Western Department, Chicago, Illinois.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS MEETINGS

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Santa Ana, also The Home Savings Bank of Santa Ana will be held in the main room of the bank on the southwest corner of Fourth and Main streets, in the city of Santa Ana, Orange County, California, on Tuesday, January 11th, 1919, at one o'clock P. M., of that day, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and to transact such other business as may come regularly before the meetings.

J. A. TURNER,
Secretary and Cashier.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Orange, in the Matter of the Estate of Shibata Takaoka, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Moluhel Takaoka, administrator of the estate of Shibata Takaoka, deceased, to the creditors of all persons having claims against the said deceased in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the County of Orange, State of California, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated this 5th day of December, 1918.

MOKUEHI TAKAOKA,
Administrator of the Estate of Shibata Takaoka, Deceased.

Edward Winter, 229 Wilson Bidg., Los Angeles, California, Attorney for Administrator.

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